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July 3, 2017

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Contraband Cell Phones GN Docket No. 13-111

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Thursday, June 29, 2017, the following persons attended a technology demonstration by Cell Command of its beacon technology for and meeting with Chairman Ajit Pai, Brendan Carr, FCC General Counsel, and Rachel Bender, Wireless Legal Advisor to the Chairman:

- 1. Jeff Dunn, Commissioner, Alabama Department of Corrections
- 2. Scott Kernan, Secretary of California Department of Corrections
- 3. Wendy Kelley, Director, Arkansas Department of Corrections
- 4. Tony Parker, Commissioner, Tennessee Department of Corrections
- 5. Randall Mathena, Deputy Director, Virginia Dept. of Corrections
- 6. Quincy Booth, Director of DC Department of Corrections
- 7. Brian Stirling, Director, South Carolina Department of Corrections
- 8. Jon Ozmint, former Director of South Carolina Department of Corrections
- 9. Lee Dotson, Tennessee Chief Interdiction Officer
- 10. Eric Schultz, American Correctional Association, Director of Government and Public Affairs
- 11. Josh Tewalt, Association of State Correctional Administrators, Director of Operations
- 12. Gary McLhinney, Maryland Department of Public Safety & Corrections
- 13. David Reitz, Maryland Department of Public Safety & Corrections
- 14. John Fischer, CEO of Cell Command, Inc.
- 15. Rob Smyjunas, Chairman of Cell Command, Inc.

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- 16. Jamie Barnett, partner at Venable LLP for Cell Command, Inc.
- 17. Addie Patterson, Office of Congressman Jeff Duncan (SC)
- 18. Elise Krekorian, Office of Congressman Jeff Duncan (SC)
- 19. Andrew Hogin, Office of Congressman David Kustoff (TN)
- 20. Al David Saab, Office of Congressman David Kustoff (TN)
- 21. Anna R. Bartlett, Office of Congressman Trey Gowdy (SC)

Following the demonstration of the beacon technology by John Fischer, the group discussed the importance of the FCC taking actions to defeat contraband cell phones for the safety of their correctional officers and employees and for public safety at large.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules, this submission is being filed for inclusion in the public record of the referenced proceedings.

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Respectfully submitted

Josh Tewalt, Director of Operations

Association of State Correctional Administrators